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MOBERLY BENEFITS BY OFFICIAL VOTE

PLURALITY LIFTED FROM 27 TO 58 BY THE CANVASS.

SAWYERS AND BOOHER ALSO GAIN BALLOTS

Many Minor Changes Shown in Detailed Tabulations Shown Elsewhere — Committeemen.

Judge W. M. Blackford with Justice of the Peace R. L. McDougla finished their work of casting up the vote of Tuesday's election and a few changes from the table as published in the papers were made. E. C. Moberly for sheriff made a gain of 31 votes, making his plurality 58 instead of 27. It is not thought that W. A. Burks, the next highest man to Moberly, will contest his election.

There was one vote cast for the Progressive party, being in Jefferson Northwest precinct. There were five Prohibition votes—one in Atchison, Hughes, Monroe, Polk D and Union. The Socialist party had 5 votes—two in Hughes, 1 in Independence South, 1 in Jefferson Northwest, 1 in Nodaway. The Socialist-Labor party received 1 vote, being in Independence South.

The official tabulated vote of the primary appears elsewhere in this issue.

The total vote of the Republican candidates is given below as they are not included in the table:

For Senator—Thomas J. Akins 224, Walter S. Dickey 847, Nathan Frank 93.

For Governor—Lamm 327, McIndoe 30, Morris 345, Swanger 499.

For Lieutenant Governor—Atkeson 584, Britton 330, Kyle 242.

Secretary of State—Askin 290, J. E. Ford 507, Charles A. Hendricks 368.

State Auditor—Conrath 187, Hackman 438, Wilder 518.

State Treasurer—Pettit 389, Thompson 612, Vitt 154.

Attorney General—Elder 292, Mason 859.

Judge of the Supreme Court (Division No. 1)—Hayward 319, Johnson 309, Robertson 211, Shackelford 293.

Judge of the Supreme Court (Division No. 2)—Higbee 1,260.

Kansas City Court of Appeals—Landon 1,261.

Congress—Jacob Geiger, 1,258.

State Senator—LaFavor 634, Peck 406.

Booher Gains Three.

Charles F. Booher gained three votes over B. R. Martin, making his majority 558 instead of 555. William G. Sawyers' majority over Charles McCaffrey is 279, and James Blagg over Thomas Wallace by 942 votes.

The Democratic Committee.

The new Democratic county committee will meet Tuesday and organize. The members are: M. E. Ford, Polk; Guy C. Clary, Atchison; J. A. Larabee, Grant; Joe Carden, Green; W. L. Robb, Hopkins; C. H. Talbott, Hughes; W. E. Johnston, Independence; Carl Beedle, Jackson; Roy Fitzsimmons, Jefferson; A. G. Castillo, Lincoln; W. S. Linville, Monroe; Richard Tobin, Nodaway; E. O. Gray, Union; J. L. Hocker, Washington; J. D. Mutz, White Cloud.

The Republican Committee.

The new Republican county committee will also meet Tuesday and will be composed of the following: W. R. Tilson, Polk; A. P. Skeed, Atchison; S. A. Roach, Grant.. F. C. Wilson, Green; H. A. Russell, Hopkins; Ed Goodpasture, Hughes; A. J. Roof, Independence; I. A. Goodson, Jackson; C. J. Merrigan, Jefferson; E. K. Bailey, Lincoln; J. C. Spahr, Monroe; J. W. Praisewater, Nodaway; F. M. Wallis, Union; J. V. Pugh, Washington; Samuel Corrough, White Cloud.

BRANIGER IS VICE-PRESIDENT

Maryville Dentist Honored by College —Stinson to Clinic Demonstrations.

Dr. Earl C. Braniger of this city has been selected as second vice-president of the Western Dental college of Kansas City. Dr. Braniger is a graduate of this college. Dr. H. L. Stinson, also a graduate of this college, is to give a clinic demonstration at that college soon.

Miss Ora Barmann, who has been ill at St. Francis hospital, returned to her home today.

Our Army Leaders



General William Crozier, Chief of Ordnance.

WERE ON LUSITANIA

ELEVEN OF MEN AT CHAUTAUQUA TODAY IN GREAT EXPERIENCE.

IN ROYAL WELSH CHOIR

Leader and Two Comrades Went Down With Ship—Adrian and McGrath Brothers Were Features

Tonight.

7:30—The Royal Gwent Welsh Glee Singers. Fourteen big male voices presenting the best that musical literature affords.

Sunday.

2:30—The Filipinos.
3:00—Opie Read.
4:00—Vesper Service.
7:00—The Filipinos.
8:15—Senator Thomas P. Gore.

Eleven men will stand on the platform of the Chautauqua this afternoon and tonight, who were in the Lusitania disaster. They are members of the Royal Welsh choir. The last official act of their famous leader last year was to sign the Vawter contract in New York for this season and then sail. He went down with the big vessel and two of his men.

The other eleven who were saved came back this year to fulfill the contract under a new leader. Dewi Llyfnwy is enrolled in the Welsh Academy of Immortals for his work in music. This is expected to be the musical feature of the session aside from Kryl's band.

The McGrath boys pleased every one immensely last night with their banjo work. The piano solos of Rollo Hudson also were pleasing. But the big hit of the numbers was a song "A Hundred Years From Now." This was sung by "Dick," accompanied by Fred. Two of the original verses were sung and when the audience wanted more, the singer began to pull written verses from the various pockets.

It was these verses written by Mr. McGrath himself which made the big laughs come. Encore after encore was given until every pocket was empty. A solo and accompaniment by one banjo of "Miserere" was Fred's contribution to showing what a banjo is capable of.

Adrian's Like a "Pipe Dream."

As Henry Augustus Adrian told of the wonderful things which Luther Burbank has done, it sounded much like a fantasy or fairy tale in spite of all that has been written about that great wizard of the plant world. For instance, he told of a cactus which will grow on any desert getting at least six inches of rain a year. Most of the barren places of the world get that much.

This unheard of plant which the speaker said is in answer to the prophecy of the desert blossoming like the rose, will produce 110 tons of edible fruit, the cactus pear; many tons of fodder, sugar, denatured alcohol and best of all a fiber which has made the finest of paper. All this is possible from a plant which grows in deserts on six inches of rainfall.

Burbank has crossed corn with a grass from the orient in which the kernels grow in rows along every leaf. As a consequence he is gathering 80 tons of the finest ensilage from every acre. He is growing many fruits with-

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ORDINANCE PASSED

CITY COUNCIL ADOPTS MEASURES TO RESTRAIN BOOTLEGGING.

WILL BUILD SIDEWALKS

City Collector Instructed to Sue for Poll Tax—General Revenue Fund, $929.14.

The city council adopted the bootlegging ordinances as drawn up by City Attorney George Pat Wright at their regular meeting held last evening. One ordinance applies to directly or indirectly selling, giving away or bartering in any manner whatever, any kind of intoxicating liquor or beverage containing alcohol in any quantity whatever within the city limits. The penalty on conviction for such an offense will be not less than a fine of $300 nor more than $1,000, or imprisonment in the city jail of not less than six months nor more than one year, or both fine and imprisonment.

The other ordinance applies to any person keeping, storing or delivering for or to another person, any intoxicating liquor of any kind whatsoever within the city limits. The penalty for the offense will be the same as in the other ordinance.

Sidewalk ordinances were adopted for the following streets, and were ordered built:

North side of Lincoln street near Fillmore street.

North side of Lincoln street near Buchanan street.

South side of Ninth street from Mulberry street to the alley west of that street.

A petition was presented for a sidewalk on the west side of Mulberry street between Ninth to the Wabash right-of-way.

The police report shows fourteen cases during the month of July with $41 collected. There was only one case of drunkenness and several for disturbing the peace, and other minor offenses.

The council instructed the city collector to sue for poll tax all persons having been notified to pay and have failed to do so. The city authorities intend to collect all the poll tax.

The treasurer's report shows $929.14 in the general revenue fund of the city. This sum of money is all that is left of the $5,000 borrowed by the city in June.

The council meeting last night was not a long one, only taking about two hours to transact their business.

CUMMINS BACK FROM MEET

Maryville Man Attended National Knights of Columbus Convention at Davenport.

J. B. Cummins returned yesterday from Davenport, Iowa, where he went to attend the supreme convention of the Knights of Columbus, held in that city this week.

One of the things done by the convention was to vote for the expenditure of enough money to establish a number of amusement and comfort camps for the soldiers on the border. It is stated from outside sources that approximately $25,000 will be spent for this purpose if the troops are at the border by the first of next year. The members from Canada, Newfoundland and Mexico will be exempt from this assessment, according to the resolution.

CROWD AT BARNARD PICNIC

Home Team Wins From Maitland in Baseball With Score 12-5—Hall From California and Others.

The Barnard picnic was well attended yesterday, having one of the largest crowds yet in attendance. Today is the last day of the nicnic and another big crowd is present.

William G. Sawyers, prosecuting attorney, William Job and J. H. Sayler were the speakers at the picnic yesterday morning and in the afternoon Judge John M. Dawson of this city and L. J. Hall of California spoke. Mr. Hall talked on prohibition and urged that all should vote for statewide prohibition amendment in this state this fall.

The ball game between Maitland and Barnard was won by Barnard. The score was 12-5.

Prof. and Mrs. Davies, Miss Hammond and Miss Bright leave for their respective homes the first of the week.

Ward Hills of Riverside, Cal., is visiting in Maryville with his brother, A. R. Hills.

THE OLD OLD STORY

HOME UMPIRE'S BIASED DECISIONS COST FEDS GAME, 5-3.

THIEMAN'S WORK GREAT

Maryville Team Made Three Errors, Clarinda Two—Shenandoah Wins Second Game, 7-3.

It's the old, old story of a home umpire. Will baseball managements never learn that an outside and uninterested umpire should be used in important games and tournaments, especially when cash prizes are to be given?

Well, the Feds lost the game to Clarinda yesterday, 5-3. Shenandoah made the lucky draw and had to play only one game to win the tournament. Maryville and Clarinda played the first game. The Feds got a two-run lead in the fourth on clean hitting. Walker hit for a base and Garvin scored him with a double. Garvin scored on Summa's hit.

In the sixth they added another when Walker singled, went to second on an out and scored on an error. The massacre came in the eighth after Thieman had struck out two batters. A walk, a hit and two errors gave Clarinda two runs. With two men on bases and two strikes on the next batter Jeff put over a perfect strike. The "umps" called it a ball.

This batter himself said afterward that it was the best strike he ever had. The next ball pitched he cracked out for a triple, scoring two more runs and counting himself when the throw-in went under the cars.

The Feds had another important decision called against them in their half of the eighth. McCoy hit a ground ball to third. Tal Clark, playing that base, threw wild to first, pulling the first baseman off six inches. McCoy was called out. Stewart then singled and Walker reached first on an error. Garvin ended the inning with a fly to second. Had McCoy been called safe the bases would have been full with only one out.

Thieman pitched a great game, allowing only five hits and striking out fifteen batters in the last seven innings. Walker gathered three hits in four attempts. As usual the Feds outhit their opponents, 7-5. The Feds made three errors and Clarinda made two.

Shenandoah won the second game from Clarinda, 7-3.

PUSH MILE AT POZIERES

ENGLISH IN GRAND PUSH TOWARD SECOND DEFENSES.

Russians Forced to Fall Back at One Point in East—Other War News of Today.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 5.—The British troops on the Somme front by terrific smashing broke through the second main line of the Germans for more than a mile at Pozieres, it is officially announced.

The Turkish forces at the Sinai peninsula assumed the offensive today and are trying to cut through to the Suez canal. A battle is in progress at Elruman, where 14,000 Turks attacked the British at Elbum, thirty miles from Port Said.

The mighty Verdun battle is still raging, and in spite of the fury of the German attack, Paris announces that the Fleury and Thieumont positions are still held by the French.

A fleet of ten Zeppelins attacked the Sveaborg fortress which is defending Helsing, a base of supplies. The Russian warships defending Petrograd report one Zeppelin damaged. The Russians admit a reverse in the attack of West Kovel, which is believed to be the beginning of the great German counter offensive.

A violent battle is raging south of Brody.

Three British Schooners Sunk.

London, Aug. 5.—The sinking of three British schooners evidently by submarines is reported by the Lloyds. A Christiania dispatch says that a lifeboat from the steamer Calypsos washed ashore at that place. It contained three passengers from the Calypsos, British and one Dutch.

Russians Forced to Fall Back.

Petrograd, Aug. 5.—The Russian war office reports obstinate fighting on the river Sereth, where the Germans are trying to throw back the Russians who crossed into the Carpathians, near Ketury. The Russians were forced to fall back.

THE MOOSE CALL.



—Rehse in New York World.

COULD I LIVE AGAIN

COLONEL BAIN TALKS OF IDEALS TO YOUNG PEOPLE.

CHEERY OPTIMIST AT 75

Has Consuming Desire to Influence Others for Good—Colby Talks on Art This Morning.

"Whales live to be a thousand years old; elephants frequently reach an age of 400 years; there are redwood trees in California which sprang from a seedling 2,000 years before Christ was born, and so I am constantly at a loss to understand the purpose of the Creator who permits only a few score years to the master of all this world. Even a turtle lives longer than a man."

This was the introduction of Col. George W. Bain of Kentucky to his ripe lecture last night at Chautauqua on the subject, "If I Had Life to Live Over Again." This wonderfully virile man of 75 years has been a headliner on the American platform for almost half a century. He spoke with feeling of his affection for Mr. and Mrs. James Frank, who died several years ago.

Mr. Bain observed also that so much of a man's short life seems to be useless to him. Colic and peregoric in infancy and rheumatism in old age. He pointed out the mystery of life in that Dan Patch was making records at one year old, while Woodrow Wilson's sole ambition was to get his toe in his mouth at that age.

It was this consideration, said the Colonel, which made the passing hours so golden. The sands running out in the hour glass of one's life can never be replaced; they are gone forever. How important that we should prize the time of youth and strength.

Why He Remains on Platform.

"And it is that hope that I may change some life, stop some young person from throwing away their life, which keeps me on the platform when traveling is arduous and the weather hot," said the speaker. "As I look out over the crowd and see the faces of the young and realize that in the crowd are the bankers, ministers, physicians, lawyers, criminals, convicts of the future, something is strangely stirred in me and I cry out for the ability to touch their lives for good.

"Oh, but you say, there will be no failures or criminals in this crowd. How do you know? When Theodore Roosevelt mustered out the famous Rough Rider regiment he urged them to go out and be as good citizens as they had been soldiers. Some have done so, but among those fine young men that day were fellows who afterwards became robbers and murderers.

"So we can never tell. The fairest of the fair may fall or be plucked out of a virtuous and upright life. And so I have determined to talk much in my sunset years of what I would do

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HE BLAMES G. O. P.

SENATOR LEWIS HOLDS THEM RESPONSIBLE FOR MASSACRES.

DISLOYAL TO PRESIDENT

G. O. P. Gave Mexicans Belief That United States Was Divided by Convention Utterances.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Responsibility for the Carrizal massacre and for all Mexican outrages against Americans was placed at the door of the Republican party on the floor of the senate today.

Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois, Democratic whip of the senate, delivered today the administration reply to Justice Hughes' attack upon the administration's Mexican policy. He charged the Republicans with direct responsibility for the massacre and called Justice Hughes and the Republican leaders "traitors to the doctrine of patriotism."

"I rise to speak to the challenge set forth in the address to the American people by Judge Charles Evans Hughes," said Senator Lewis. "I address myself to the sham and shame of the pretense of patriotism.

"Here this day I put the responsibility of the death of every American soldier killed on the border of Mexico in the year 1916 upon the heads of the generals of the Republican party. I charge that not until the captains of the Republican party shot at the president of the United States did the Mexican outlaws shoot at the soldiers of the American president.

Thought America Divided.

"The Carrizal massacre was the Mexican response to the echoes ringing in their ears from the New York Republican state convention in which Senator Root sounded the keynote which summoned them to the deed," Senator Lewis charged.

"It was the Republican convention which slew the soldiers at Carrizal. With the doctrine of the law which holds responsible those who set in motion the machinery that ends in the murder of a man, the Republican convention in Chicago, these platform builders who denounced their president and their country to awaken an issue wherever they could; these were the perpetrators of the death of these Americans.

"Justice Hughes now is the candidate of his party. He is asked what he has to say as to the calling out of the guard and the mission. His response: 'Nothing to say, nothing to say.' Is it true, O God in heaven, that a political aspiration, even of noble lives, could so overwhelm the nobility of a Christian soul living in America, who, beholding his country on the verge of war with a foreign nation, could not rescue himself from the contemplation of what might be political loss by approval of the course of an

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CONGRESS CLOSES DEADLOCKED WEEK

HOPE FOR AGREEMENT BETWEEN HOUSES STILL DIM.

CONFEREES UNABLE TO REACH SETTLEMENTS

Child Labor, Naval and Army, Philippines, Shipping and Other Measures Cause Trouble.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 5. — Congress closed another week today with practically nothing gained in the efforts to break the deadlock between the senate and the house over the biggest measures on the legislative program. After weeks of mediating on the naval bill, the conferees succeeded in agreeing only on the minor points of difference.

The building program is unchanged. The prospects of an agreement in the army increases are brighter but there are still many points to clear up. Further fighting today on the floor of the senate on the child labor bill indicates that another week's debate on the measure is in prospect.

The shipping bill and the emergency revenue measure also threaten to cause serious trouble while the difference between the two bodies over the conservation and Philippine bills are apparently irreconcilable.

Would Investigate Contributions.

Investigation of the activities of ... 10 Democratic campaign contributors in the shipment of war munitions to Mexico was demanded in a resolution introduced in the house by Rodenburg of Illinois. He proposed to appoint a joint commission to determine whether the firms shipping ammunition and war supplies were among those giving to the campaign funds.

INSERT WASH ....

The Rosenburg resolution would instruct a special committee to investigate the shipment of munitions into Mexico and to any government of a belligerent faction, outlaw band or private individual in Mexico, from the date of the embargo proclamation issued by the president. The resolution was referred to the house foreign affairs committee.

Request Immediate Mexican Answer.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Requests that the Mexican government directly reply to the suggestions in the latest American notes will be sent to Mexico City without delay. Officials regard yesterday's Mexican note as merely the announcement of the peace and arbitration commission.

MERCURY IN RECORD CLIMB

Went to 101 Yesterday and Promises Much for Today With 97 at Noon.

Whoopee! Yesterday didn't do a thing but break that old weather record again. The mercury wasn't content with 100, but said, "Well, I'll see what 101 is like," and just climbed right up. Since the hour's rain, which gave a little relief Thursday morning, the heat seems more oppressive.

Today's temperature at noon was 97, and there was every prospect that the mercury would be just as adventurous as it was yesterday, and equal if not break the new record.

Motor Trip From Iowa.

J. H. Michael and daughters Fern, Lorena and Alma of Villisca, Iowa, were the week-end guests of V. P. Carpenter of Pickering. They made the trip by auto.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

*** THE WEATHER ***

Generally fair and continued warm tonight and Sunday.

Dr. W. W. Turner
OSTEOPATH
Office Over Fern Theatre
HANAMO 503

CAMPAIGN FOR NAVY IN "WARSHIP" ON WHEELS

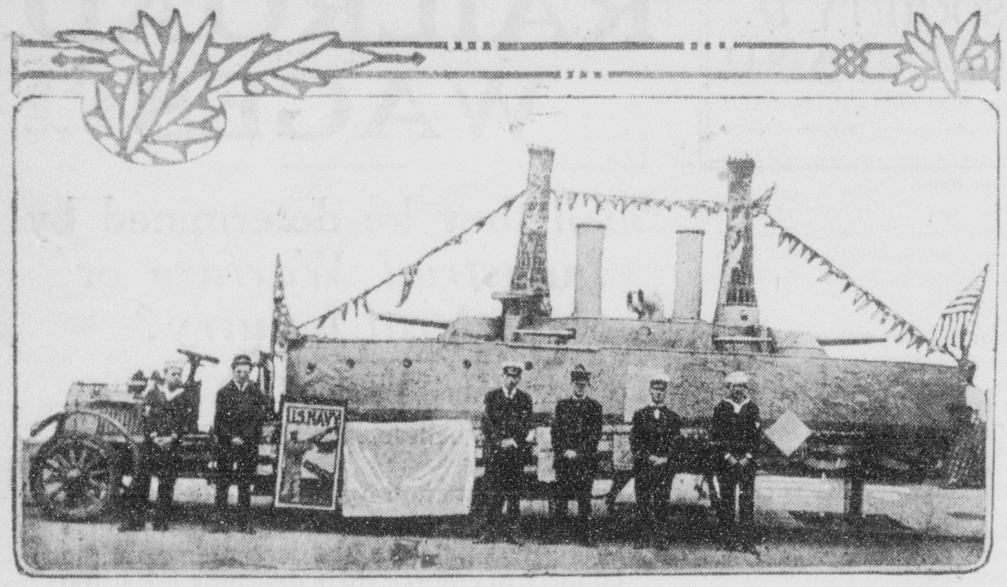


Photo by American Press Association.

This miniature warship on wheels is being used in Brooklyn in the recruiting campaign of Lieutenant David Jones, U. S. N. The "warship" carries a squad of bluejackets in charge of Chief Gunner's Mate James C. Shield.

WHAT THE EDITOR'S Nodaway SCISSORS FOUND

CLEARMONT NEWS.

Since our last issue Pence & Hornbuckle have sold cars to Clarence Tibbetts of Elmo and Sam Dougherty of near Tarkio.

Dr. Dowell and family returned Monday evening from their trip through the west by auto. They report having a fine time, and they were fortunate and had no breakage or mishap with their car, except two or three punctures, which is sure good, as they traveled 1,786 miles.

RAVENWOOD GAZETTE.

We regret very much to announce that on and after the first day of September, 1916, the subscription price of The Ravenwood Gazette will be $1.50 per year instead of $1.00.

The Ravenwood Auto company reports the following sales of new Ford automobiles: C. A. Shelman, Parnell; A. W. Spoonemore, Ravenwood; Clarence C. Cooper, Ravenwood; Jess Ruch, Alanthus; Marvin Lewis, Parnell; Mrs. H. L. David, Ravenwood, and Ben Jones, Parnell.

GUILFORD TIMES.

Pete Wolf finished up the threshing in the valley neighborhood north of Long Branch and Frank Hughes is doing the threshing south of Long Branch and Bill Snider is threshing in the southwest part of the valley neighborhood around Huston Smith's.

E. S. Barnes of Sheridan was in Guilford Monday. On a visit to the Times office Mr. Barnes tells us that he has rented his farm out in Oklahoma and he and family moved to Sheridan for a good rest up. He used to own and operate the feed mill here some six years ago.

ELMO REGISTER.

Earl Hopper was bitten lately by a dog on the hand, but not badly hurt. Two dogs had been fighting and after the fight he tried to pet one of the dogs, when it snapped him.

Mrs. Parn Adkins was taken to the Mayo Bros. hospital at Rochester, Minn., one day last week for an operation. She has been very ill for a long time. Her friends and relatives here hope for the best, but the case is critical.

Brother Snowden and his congregation held their meeting Sunday evening on the church lawn. It was rather comfortable out in the open, but inside the house the mercury stood at 90 degrees before dark. It would soon have run up to over 100 after lighting and people had gathered in.

CONCEPTION COURIER.

Mrs. Pat O'Donnell had the misfortune to break her arm while cranking her car last week. The fracture was reduced and she is getting along nicely now.

What was perhaps the largest crowd ever in Clyde attended the social held in that town Saturday night. On account of the extreme heat, the entertainment was held on the lawns of the R. W. Graham and James Enis homes. The principal attraction was the address given by Billie Whelan, the boy orator, who spoke upon "Ideal American Homes," and greatly pleased the audience. The songs, sung by Fritz Baumgartner in five different languages, and the harp solos by U. L. Sprug were highly appreciated.

SKIDMORE NEWS.

The following stock shipments were made during the past week to St. Joseph:

Caywood & Mast, car hogs; William Howden, car hogs; Barrett & Reese, car hogs; J. W. Barber, mixed car of stock; W. R. Linville, 4 cars cattle; W. F. Barrett, car hogs; Van Goslee, car hogs; Peter Bros., car hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Carden and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Montgomery left Wednesday for Lake George, Col., in Mr. Carden's automobile. They left prepared for camp life along the way and in all probabilities will enjoy the trip from beginning to end. They intend to stay about six weeks or until cool weather. This is the fourth time Mr. Carden has made the trip to Colorado in the same car.

BARNARD BULLETIN.

In and around Barnard since last Thursday we learn of six that have been overheated. The Rice twins, sons of James D. Rice, living west of town, were brought in to the doctor, having been overheated while baling hay on Hall Farm. They are getting along nicely now. James Dixon, while mowing hay became overheated the other day and was taken from the mower in an unconscious condition. Pat Tooher, while working on the section last Thursday, suffered from the heat and was laid up until Monday morning. Charles Skidmore of near Guilford was plowing corn and became overheated. His condition was serious at the time but he is improving now. Mrs. Sam Aldridge of near Guilford, while attending to her household duties, became a victim of the excessive heat Sunday.

PARNELL SENTINEL.

Fred Breit has been doing some good work on his farms south of town in the matter of cutting weeds from along the side of the road. This is certainly a great improvement and many others might profit by seeing what he has had done.

The electric light proposition at Ravenwood carried Monday by a vote of 90 to 9. Now is a good time to call an election for Parnell to vote on the same kind of proposition. We need electric lights. Towns smaller than Parnell are using them now and there is no reason why we can't have them. Let's get busy.

HOPKINS JOURNAL.

Rev. J. H. Weaver, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has been granted a month's vacation by the members of his congregation, and there will be no preaching services until the first of September.

As a result of an auto accident last Sunday on the big hill, just east of Clarinda, Mrs. Sam Dresher, aged 70, and a former resident of Hopkins, is dead. Her son, Al Dresher, a prominent business man of Omaha, suffered a broken back, fractured ribs and is seriously bruised. It is thought that he cannot live. The dead woman is an aunt of Mrs. Frank Hamilton residing north of this city.

James L., Richard and Davis Hepburn left Wednesday for their old home near Bellville, in the eastern part of Canada, this being the first visit for the last two mentioned men since they left Canada some forty-seven years ago. Rev. Henry Hepburn of Chicago has a cottage on Lake Bass, near the old Hepburn home, and he and his family are now there. As most of our readers know, Rev. Hepburn is a son of James L. Hepburn, so altogether, this trip promises to be greatly enjoyed by all concerned.

BURLINGTON JUNCTION POST.

Wilmo Staples, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Staples, received a painful cut on her forehead Tuesday evening while playing with some other children. She was pushing a low two wheel cart when the wheels caught on the walk and she fell forward, striking her forehead on the cement and cutting a gash about an inch long.

While returning from Maryville Sunday night in his Overland car William Cummins met two automobiles racing and he was compelled to turn into a ditch to prevent a collision, the dust making it impossible to see. The front axle of the car was bent and the car could not be run. The accident happened on the fine stretch of road about three miles north of Maryville and Will was taken back to Maryville by E. C. Johnson and family, who were returning home from St. Joseph.

N. I. and B. B. Staples shipped two loads of cattle to the St. Louis market the first of the week. They went with their shipment to look after its sale.

The wheat and oat crops are proving to be a disappointment. The small grain crops were considered good this year—they looked that way in the field, but the thresher is telling a different story. Earl Walker had a good looking crop on the Bever farm east of Burlington Junction, but when the thresher finished with it the yield only figured fifteen bushels to the acre. Rust is doing considerable damage to oats and wheat this year and the yield is not nearly as good as was expected.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

St. Mary's Catholic Church.
Rev. Father Odilo, O. S. B., pastor.
High mass at 8:30.
Second mass at 10:15.
Evening service, rosary and benediction at 7:30.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church.
Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor.
High mass at 8:00.
Second mass at 10:30.
Evening services, devotions and benediction, at 7:30.

First Presbyterian.
William Moll Case, pastor.
Church school at 10:30.
Subject of sermon, "The Evangel of the Second Chance."
No evening service.

Buchanan Street Methodist.
R. C. Holliday, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45.
Sermon subject, "The Meaning of Temptation."
No evening service.
You are cordially invited to attend these services.

First Christian.
C. Emerson Miller, paster.
Sunday school at 9:00.
Morning service at 10:15.
Quartet, "Only Fear the Lord" (Pinkham).
Offertory, violin solo, "Thais" (Massenet)—Mr. Hakel.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Frank Deerwester.
Sermon, "Industrial Responsibility."
No evening service.

First Church of Christ Scientist.
206 South Main street.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Subject of lesson sermon, "Spirit."
Mid week prayer service at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.
Reading room in Michau building over Townsend grocery. Open from 2 till 5 o'clock each afternoon.
Everyone welcome to the reading room and to all of the services.

SERIAL ABOVE ORDINARY

"Gloria's Romance," With Billie Burke In Title Role, Said to Surpass All Others—At Empire

"Gloria's Romance," the serial picture which begins at the Empire Theatre next Tuesday evening with Miss Billie Burke as the star, and runs every Tuesday for fifteen weeks, is said to be much above the ordinary run of films.

Miss Burke has been engaged at a salary of $4,000 a year to play the part of the heroine, and as Gloria Stafford, a wealthy society girl, she will wear some of the most gorgeous clothes that have ever graced her person.

In the various installments Miss Burke will wear a $15,000 Russian sable coat, a $12,000 ermine coat, a $9,000 Chinchilla coat, a blue and gold and metal embroidered evening coat trimmed with silver fox fur, valued at $2,500, and a dinner gown trimmed with lace that was priced at $150 a yard. Feminine theater-goehs will yard. Feminine theater-goers will zaar and will undoubtedly follow it with interest.

MANY CAME IN ANYWAY.

Scores of Families Expected Circus But Saw Chautauqua.

In spite of the fact that the word was pretty generally spread over the country that the circus billed for Maryville would not arrive, scores of families began to arrive in town early for the circus. There was disappointment and tears on the part of the youngsters, but the older ones took it out in shopping and attending the Chautauqua instead.

Nyal's Prickly Heat Powder helps the baby through the hot summer. Koch Pharmacy.

Three Couples to Big Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis G. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Schuler and Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone will leave Monday for Bigelow, where they will spend several days camping and fishing.

Miss Belle Sherlock is in Maryville on her way to her home in Des Moines from Seneca, Kan. She is a guest of Miss Mary Tobin.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
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DENVER BUSINESS MEN APPEAL TO CONGRESS.

They Want Interstate Commerce Commission to Stop Railroad Strike.

Denver.—Alarmed by the prospective strike of railway train employees to secure higher wages, the members of the Denver Clearing House association unanimously passed the following resolution:

Whereas, At a recent meeting in New York between managers of the railroads and executives of the trainmen's brotherhoods, called for the discussion of wage schedules, at which conference interested parties were unable to agree; and,

Whereas, Subsequently the brotherhood representatives refused to consider arbitration and are now taking a strike vote, which may end in a general strike, such as would paralyze the industry of the country.

Therefore, be it resolved, That by this resolution the Denver Clearing House association, regardless of the merits of the controversy as between the railroads and their employees, does hereby express its disapproval of a strike as a medium of adjustment, and we hereby call on our senators and congressmen to interest themselves in the passing by congress of such a measure as will have the effect of instructing and empowering the interstate commerce commission to take cognizance of these conditions and effect a fair and equitable adjustment as between the railroads and their employees, thereby preventing a nation wide railroad strike.

R. R. STRIKE VOTE IS TO BE ENDED AUG. 5

Men Required to Vote—Ballot Ignores Arbitration — Gives Leaders Full Authority.

The results of the strike vote being taken by the railroad engineers, firemen, conductors and brakemen to enforce their demands for a $100,000,000 increase in wages will be determined early in August, according to a circular of instructions issued by the executive officers of the "big four" brotherhoods of train employees. The local chairmen of the organizations are to take the votes of the employees in their districts and forward them to the general chairman on each road not later than July 26. The general chairmen for the eastern and southeastern roads are to report at headquarters in New York not later than Aug. 1 and those for the western roads not later than Aug. 5. The ballots will then be counted and another meeting will be held with the national conference committee of the railways.

The strike ballots are attached to a brief statement of the conference between the brotherhood committee and the committee representing the railways which was held in New York in June, at which the railways proposed either arbitration or reference of the entire wage controversy to the interstate commerce commission for settlement. Both proposals were rejected by the brotherhood leaders, and the wording of the strike ballot gives the employees no opportunity to vote on the question of arbitration. The form of the ballot is as follows:

I have personally read the foregoing statement and believe the request for an eight hour basic day, with time and one-half for all overtime worked in all except passenger service, a just demand and hereby authorize the chief executives and general chairmen of the B. L. E., B. L. F. and E., O. R. C. and B. R. T. to act as my agents or attorneys in dealing for a settlement of these questions, and if the said chief executives and general chairmen are unable to otherwise effect a settlement satisfactory to them I hereby cast my vote ..... a STRIKE.
(for or against)

According to the circular of instructions, "all members holding seniority rights or actually employed in the service affected by this movement will be required to vote." The man voting is to sign the ballot and hand it to the person authorized to take the vote, in a sealed envelope with his name written on the outside, "but under no circumstances will he be permitted to take it away with him," and "all members are cautioned against giving out information or discussing the questions involved."

Says Brotherhoods Err.

Milwaukee, Wis.—The Free Press says editorially:

We think the brotherhoods are making a mistake in refusing arbitration.

If they are fairly entitled to what they ask for, impartial arbitrators will award it to them, and the public, which finally foots all transportation bills, will draw its belt a bit tighter, pay the price either in higher rates or diminished service, or both, and there will be no interruption of the country's commerce.

But if American business shall be thrown out of gear by a general stoppage of railroad service because the brotherhoods have refused to arbitrate, public sympathy will undoubtedly be with the railroad owners and managers. And without the support of public opinion the brotherhoods could not win a strike. * * *

Capital must get its living wage as well as labor.

A general strike would effect every individual in the country. It must not occur. — Philadelphia Inquirer.

A strike such as is threatened would be a calamity to all the people of the United States.—Brooklyn Eagle.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum
Kansas City, Aug. 5.—WHEAT—Aug., $1.30¼; Sept., $1.32¾.
CORN—Aug., 81⅞c; Sept., 77⅜c.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, Aug. 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; market none.
HOGS—Receipts, 1,000; bulk, $9.40 to $9.75.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Aug. 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 300; market steady; estimate tomorrow, 13,000.
HOGS — Receipts, 1,000; market steady; top, $10; estimate tomorrow, 33,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.
St. Joseph, Aug. 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; market steady.
HOGS — Receipts, 2,500; market steady; top, $9.70.
SHEEP — Receipts, 500; market steady.

Furnished daily by Frost & Speirs.

Fresh Eggs, doz.	16c
Butter fat, per lb	26c
Hens, per lb	13c
Roosters and stags, per lb	6c
Hides, per lb	14c
Ducks, per lb	9c
Geese, per lb	7c
Spring Chickens, per lb	16c

TWO MEN SEEK DIVORCES

Bert Luppold and Walter Johnson Seek Separation From Wives in Petitions in Court.

Two divorce suits were filed in the office of the circuit court today. They were Bert Luppold vs. Clara L. Luppold and Walter Johnson vs. Maud Johnson. Luppold asserts that his wife is now a woman of ill repute and asks the custody of their boy, Stuart. He cites two instances in which Mrs. Luppold ran away from home in the company of another man.

The first was Nov. 9, 1915, when she went to Creston, Ia., with Grover Anderson. The second instance was July 29, 1916, when she ran away to Shenandoah with Lyman Botts of Red Oak. Mr. Luppold says in his petition that he had moved to the farm of her parents to remove her from the scandal in Maryville. He believes now that she is living a life of a fallen woman in St. Joseph.

Johnson brings suit against his wife charging abandonment after they had lived together from Nov. 14, 1908, until Feb. 1, 1914. Ellis G. Cook is attorney for Johnson, and Shinabargar, Blagg and Ellison for Luppold.

PECK—MCKNIGHT SENATORS

Democrat's Majority Was 862—Gentry's Republican Vote Still Out But LaFavor Has Lost.

James W. McKnight was nominated for state senator by the Democrats and J. W. Peck by the Republicans. McKnight, who is from King City, has a majority of 862. His vote in each county was: Atchison 282, Gentry 1057, Nodaway 1189, Worth 464; total 2992. W. R. Littell's vote in each county was: Atchison 779, Gentry 367, Nodaway 829, Worth 155; total 2130. James Lafavor's vote in three of the counties was: Atchison 503, Nodaway 406, Worth 201. Lafavor's was: Atchison 283, Nodaway 634, Worth 307. Gentry county's official Republican vote is not available yet but it is known that Peck's majority is about 300, which is sufficient to insure his nomination.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

NYAL'S Prickly Heat Powder, fine for the baby. Sold only by Koch Pharmacy. 1-6

JUST received a shipment of bee sections. R. S. Braniger, east side square. 5-6

PIANO BOXES—We will sell piano boxes this week for $2, regular price $3. Landon Music Co. 31-5

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., South Side Square. Hanamo 270.

RAISING houses and ceemtn block work wanted. Call Frank Partridge. 5-8

LOST—License plate off car. Return to Jim Braniger, Owl Jitney Station, North Main. 5-8*

HOUSE moving or raising, first class tools and steel trucks. We sell cement blocks and lay them. See us before letting your contract. William Pliss. Han. phone 5542. 25-25

JITNEY SERVICE — Fordyce & Strader, Hanamo 688. Station first door west Ream Hotel in Singer Sewing Machine office. 3-5*

FOUND—On sidewalk west side of courthouse, ring with letter "E." Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 4-7

For Sale.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE—5c per bundle. Call at this office.

FOR SALE—Rolls for player piano, cheap. 302 S. Main st. 5-8

TENT FOR SALE—Nearly new, size 12x14, 5-foot walls, extra heavy; board floor if wanted. G. L. Wilfley. 5-8

FOR SALE—One 1,200 bu. portable metal granary, bought new last year; two self rake reapers, just the thing for harvesting clover or alfalfa for seed. Inquire of Paul Sisson. 20tf

FOR SALE—Span roan matched brood mares, 5 and 7 years old, weigh 3,200, with spring colt at side. These are good. See Henderson Aley. 3-5*

FARM FOR SALE—40 acres 4 miles east of Pickering, ½ mile of school and church. Good 4-room house, plenty good water. Write or see J. A. Scott, Pickering. 5-8*

PIANO FOR SALE—I have a new Emerson professional piano which cost $425. It has been used only a short time. I will sell it at a bargain, for cash or on easy payments. Write or inquire Mrs. Vivian E. Sowder, 401 E. 3d, Maryville, Mo. 5*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Two nice cool front rooms, sleeping or light housekeeping, outside entrance, good well, large shady yard. Mrs. John Snapp, 408 E. 7th. 21-21

Wanted.

WANTED—Jewelry repairing of all kinds. Holmes Jewelry Co. 20tf.

WANTED—To buy good bright straw, baled. Maryville Feed Co., 206 W. 3d st. 31-5

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire at this office.

Paul Kuchs Has Jewelry Repair Shop.

Want any watches, rings or other jewelry repaired? If so, it might be well to see what Paul Kuchs has in the way of materials and apparatus before deciding where you will have the work done.

Mr. Kuchs has opened a jewelry repair shop just over the Empire Theatre and has laid in a fine line of repair material. He will do any kind of repair work in the jewelry line.

Nyal's Prickly Heat Powder, great for the baby. Sold only by Koch Pharmacy.

To Visit Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clayton of Pickering left this morning for a several weeks' visit among relatives in Kansas, Colorado, Wyoming, North Dakota and Iowa.

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